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SUBJECT: SOVIET NATIONAL EXHIBIT: TRAVEL CONTROLS

REF: (A) MOSCOW 4865 (B) STATE 79668

1. FOLLOWING IS PROPOSED REGIME FOR TRAVEL CONTROLS WHICH
WILL PERTAIN TO OFFICIALS AND STAFF OF SOVIET NATIONAL
EXHIBIT (60TH ANNIVERSARY) TO BE SHOWN IN LOS ANGELES IN
NOVEMBER 1977. WOULD WELCOME EMBASSY COMMENTS.

2. FOR STAFF OF EXHIBIT, WE PROPOSE THE SAME REGIME AS
CURRENTLY APPLIES TO OTHER EXCHANGE VISITORS, IN SUMMARY:

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--VISITOR MAY TRAVEL WITHIN A RADIUS OF 25 MILES OF HIS
PLACE OF WORK WITHOUT NOTIFICATION OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS;

--FOR PERMISSION TO TRAVEL BEYOND A 25-MILE RADIUS OF PLACE
OF BUSINESS, THE TRAVELER OR HIS HOST MUST NOTIFY THE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE (EUR/SOV) FOUR WORKING DAYS IN ADVANCE
OF THE PROPOSED TRAVEL. THE NOTIFICATION MAY BE GIVEN WITH

LESS ADVANCE NOTICE IF NEED BE, IN EXCEPTIONAL CASES. THE NOTIFICATION MUST INCLUDE ITINERARY, BY DATE AND PLACE OF STOPS, MODE OF TRAVEL, AND NAMES OF HOSTS. IF THIS INFO HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN TIMELY FASHION, TRAVEL MAY BEGIN WITH-

OUT AWAITING SPECIFIC APPROVAL OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE.
(DEPARTMENT HAS POUCHED EMBASSY COPY OF FORM TO BE USED FOR SUBMISSION TO DEPARTMENT.)

3. DIPLOMATIC TRAVEL CONTROLS WILL REMAIN SUBSTANTIALLY AS AT PRESENT, EXCEPT FOR L.A. AIRPORT:

--THE EMBASSY OF THE USSR (OR CONSULATE) MUST NOTIFY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE (EUR/SOV) IN ADVANCE OF ALL TRAVEL BY THOSE WITH RESIDENT DIPLOMATIC STATUS, BEYOND THE 25-MILE RADIUS OF THE PLACE OF BUSINESS.

--THE DEPARTMENT, NOTING THAT THE AIRPORT IN LOS ANGELES IS A "CLOSED AREA" WITHIN THE MEANING GIVEN IN OUR NOTE OF JULY 26, 1967, IS PREPARED TO GRANT A BLANKET EXCEPTION TO THOSE DIPLOMATS TRAVELING THROUGH THE LOS ANGELES AIRPORT ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS PERTAINING TO THE SOVIET NATIONAL EXHIBIT, AND TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR FILING OF A SPECIAL "CLOSED AREA EXCEPTION" FOR TRAVEL THROUGH THE AIRPORT. THIS WAIVER SHALL APPLY FOR THE DURATION OF THE SOVIET NATIONAL EXHIBIT, INCLUDING MOUNTING AND DISMOUNTING, AND THEREFORE SHALL BE CONSIDERED TO BE IN FORCE FROM APPROXIMATELY OCTOBER 15, 1977 THROUGH DECEMBER 15, 1977. THE TRAVEL NOTIFICATION, EITHER IN WRITTEN FORM, OR THE UNCLASSIFIED

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EXCEPTIONAL ORAL FORM, MUST INCLUDE REFERENCE TO THE SOVIET NATIONAL EXHIBITION IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THIS WAIVER.

(PERSONNEL OF SOVIET CON GEN IN SAN FRANCISCO MAY ALSO TRAVEL BY CAR VIA EXISTING APPROVED SURFACE ROUTE WITHOUT NEED FOR EXCEPTION.)

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